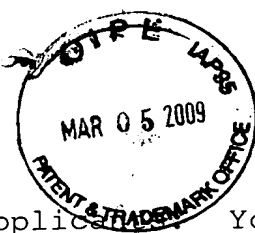


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March 2, 2009

Applicant: Yoshio OKAMOTO et al

Title: SEPARATING AGENT FOR ENANTIOMERIC ISOMERS

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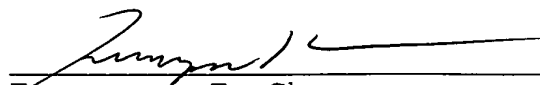
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